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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

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: EXAMINER: HENDRICKSON, S.

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FOR: PROCESS FOR ADSORPTION OF :
ORGANIC COMPOUNDS, AND
ADSORBENTS OF PULVERULENT
RUBBER

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SUPPLEMENTARY AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action of September 6, 2002 and supplementary to the Amendment and Request for Reconsideration filed on August 7, 2002, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 6, 7 and 23-43.

Please amend the claims as shown in the marked-up copy following this amendment to read as follows.

--13. (Amended) A process, comprising:

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